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Although this house is built of uncoursed rubblestone in its entirety, each component was built at a different time. The house faces southeast, with the main body of the house paralleling Aldino Road. The house consists of four units.

The first unit is three bays by two and one and one half stories high. Wood shingles cover this roof, which is gable flank and five bays long, serving the second unit as well as the first. Three gabled dormers with 6/6 windows are located on the southeastern side of the roof. A corbeled brick chimney is located at each inside gable end.

Windows in the first section ar twelve lights over twelve with board and batten shutters. The gable end attic window are 6/6. Two 3/3 cellar lights are located near the south corner. One inset door with a three-light transom is on the southeastern facade and a simlar door is on the northwestern exposure. The cellar entrance is located on the northwestern wall of this section. A semi-elliptical, stone arch is over this entrance. A one bay, shed roof porch shelters the principal entrance on the southeast side.

Inside, this unit is laid out in a classic side through hall floor plan. The hall is on the northeast of the section. The closed string stair is on the southwest wall. Its handrail and newel post are pegged and the entire side is paneled. A cellar entrance is located at the base of the stairs. The hall has chair rails and wainscoting. The ceiling in this section is very high.

Section two, the unit that shares a roof with Section one, is two bays by two and two and one half stories high, having one gabled dormer in its portion of the roof. Windows in this section are six lights over six. A window on the northeast facade appears to have, at one time, been a door judging by the difference in the wall. Flat brick arches are above the windows. There is no cellar under this section.

Inside, this unit has much lower ceilings than section one. Floor level is also lower in this section: Three steps lead up into the hall-way of the first section. A fireplace is located on the northeast. A winding stairway had been located next to this fireplace but has been removed on the first elevation. Door frames are pegged. On the second elevation an opening on the southwest wall is still present. This wood shuttered opening over looks the first section's second elevation. The attic in this section has plastered walls and ceiling.

Section three, located on the north side of Section two is three bays long, two stories high. Windows are six lights over six with a 2/2 attic window on the expased northern end. This section also has flat brick arches above window and doors.

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The significance of this house and farm lies in several areas: its extreme age, its architecture and structural material, and its continuous agricultural use. The oldest unit of this house is known to have been standing in 1798 although there is some question over which of the two older units is, in fact, the oldest. Although one is more apt to think that the cellarless, eastern, square unit with its low ceiling and winding stairway is the older, more than one early house in this area is built over high cellar - see Webster's Forest HA-442, Mt. Friendship HA-8, Land of Promise HA-575 and the Bott house HA-584.

The rubble stone construction of this house is also of interest. Of over 185 dwellings included in the Susquehanna hundred of the 1798 Federal Tax List, only nineteen are constructed completely or partially of stone. And very, very few of these early houses remain today. This is the only stone house for hundreds of acres.

This house is situated on a portion of the tract Aquila's Inheritance patented by Aquila Hall in 1699. Neither he nor his son, Aquila, an activist during the American Revolution and signer of the Bush Declaration, seems to have ever lived at this site, however. Aquila lived in the large brick house he built at Sophia's Dairy.

In 1767, James White Hall received nearly 1000 acres of this tract through the Last Will and Testement of his father Aquila. It was he that probably built the oldest part of this house which dates from before 1800.

This farm contained a small, almost self-sufficient community through the latter half of the eighteenth and all of the nineteenth century. Besides a blacksmith shop, this farm also had a mill and granary, perhaps powered by the Mill Brook stream that begins on this property and runs north into the Deer Creek.

The farm is located between Level Road and Aldino Road and its main entrance in earlier times had been from Level Road. Often referred to as "Locust Hill", there seems to have been several farms sharing that name. One farm, on the north side of Level Road, was called Locust Hill by its owner, John Bailey in the 1850's, this later appeared as the "Locust Grove Farm" in the 1920 Historical and Industrial Edition of the Aegis.

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The newest section's windows are 2/2 with an indented windows with pediment on the northeast end.

The forge shed (HA-593) has been used as a stable and as a tool shed as well. It is located directly behind the house and is a typical farm ancillary of the late nineteenth century. It has a vertical side and a wood-shingled gable-front roof. The doorways still have some of the older hinges. Southeast of the house and east of the entrance lane is a stone springhouse (HA-594), featuring a hip roof of wood shingles with a cupola. The doorway is on the northeastern wall. Southwest of the home is the barn (HA-592), which has a stone cellar sunk into the ground but open on the eastern side. The upper works are vertical frame with a gable-flank roof. The stone foundation of what must have been a tremendous barn surrounds the present structure.

Statement of Significance, continued.

HA-591-590

Deborah Gwyn, an 85 year old resident of Chestertown, Maryland wrote in a letter earlier this year that "my great, great, grandfather Josiah Bailey moved to Locust Hill in 1797-Hosea Barnes bought it from the Bailey's (cousins) around 1830. Although the deeds for land mention Aquila's Inheritance but I don't see one mentioning the actual old house though I have the Insurance Policy dated 1850, describing the house and outbuildings." The insurance policy mentioned was with The Mutual Fire Insurance Company, now Harford Mutual Insurance Company, and it is date March 1, 1850. It refers to the square part as an addition.

The question of which part of this stone dwelling is the oldest can not be definitively answered due to the fact that while ownership of this portion of Aquila's Inheritance in 1798 seems to clearly be James White Hall, his name does not appear among those land owners assessed in the Susquehanna Hundred. Three properties list in the 1798 Tax Assessment are similar in size to the house in question. Robert Colegate's stone dwelling measures 21' x 21' making it almost exactly the same size as the square, eastern unit, said to be an addition on the 1850 insurance policy. Colegate's property is listed as a boundary in land transactions involving the farm in question, however, and so it seems unlikely that Colegate's Stone dwelling and Aquila Hall are one and the same.

William Cox, another Susquehanna hundred inhabitant, owned 89 acres of land with a stone dwelling measuring 28' x 22' and a stone kitchen measuring 20' x 20'. The kitchen, however, is listed as having a cellar. One interesting and possibly significant note is that in the 1807 land transaction between James White Hall and Samuel Hughes, it is mentioned that a portion of the land conveyed to Hughes had been purchased by Hall from Israel Cox in 1806.

Probably the most likely match, is the assessment under the names Adlum and Hughes. This lists 1223 acres of land having a stone dwelling with a stone walled cellar measuring 27' x 18' and a stone addition 18' x 18'. These measurements match, almost exactly, the interior measurements of the house. A wooden kitchen, meat house and two wooden dwellings "of no account," are also listed. Tenants included Josias Bailey and R. Jeffery, Bailey being a relative of the eventual owner. Hughes, deeded the place in 1807, shared in a partnership with John Adlum, Mark Pringle, Gabriel Christie, Gideon Denison and John Hall, and could possibly have been in possession of the property several years before a deed was actually issued. The company formed by the above men was for the purpose of purchasing lotts and land in and adjoining the town of Havre de Grace," with the intention of improving the lots by the construction of buildings.

The Barnes family added the older wing and most of the outbuildings, having owned the property for over 100 years. The 1858 Jennings and Herrick Map lists Hosea Barnes as the owner while the 1878 Martenet Map shows John Barnes as owner.

This has been a working farm for over 150 years. It is now endangered by the eventual establishment of the Aldino Industrial Air Park. This company has purchased all of the land surrounding Aquila Hall.

Title Search HA-591-594

GRG	522	251	3/16/1959	Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:	v
GRG	307	309	7/1/1947	Grantor: Grantee:	
GCB	295	487	5/2/1946	Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:	Thomas H. and Anna Benedict Johnson
GRG	8	59	4/27/1946		and Near Aldino, Harford County, Maryland med by Harold Barnes
DGW	211	388	10/3/1928	Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:	Minnie M. Barnes and John L. Barnes Harold G. Barnes 150 acres more or less
JAR	153	403	7/7/1917	Grantor: Grantee:	
JAR	145	136	4/18/1914	Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:	
BES	96	343	10/27/1904	Grantor: Grantee:	John K. Shaw, Baltimore City Register of Wills John K. Shaw, Jr.
SRM	90	62	10/12/1901	Grantor: Grantee:	Alexander Shaw, Baltimore City Register of Wills John K. Shaw, his brother
WSF	95	44	1/12/1899	Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:	Stevenson A. Williams, et al trustees Alexander Shaw 150 acres
HD	23	230	4/7/1840	1. Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:	Shadrach Bailey Hosea Barnes 97 acres

HD	23	251	1840	Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:	Herman Stump Shadrach Bailey 139 acres
HD	7	402	1823	Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:	Samuel Hughes Herman Stump 882 acres of Aquila's Inheritance and 91 acres of Wilbourn's Adventure
HD	T	255	8/17/1807	Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:	James White Hall Samuel Hughes Aquila's Inheritance, Aquila's Beginning, 21 a., Wilbourne's Venture, 91 acres, West Wood, 54 a., also that property purchased from Israel Cox on 2/1/1806
			8/15/1769	Grantor: Grantee:	Last Will and Testement of Aquila Hall James White Hall
HDG	3 2	451	7/22/1846		William A.Bailey Hosea Barnes 7 acres
ALJ	25	343	12/16/1870	<pre>3. Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:</pre>	John Barnes Hosea Barnes 10 acres of Aquila's Inheritance
WG	11	322	1859	Grantor: Grantee:	Joshua James John Barnes. The land had been devised to Joshua by Joseph James.
HD	14	307	6/8/1831	Grantor: Grantee:	Herman Stump Joseph James, Herman conveyed a part of Aquila's Inheritance, amounting to 134½ acres and 32 perches to Joseph. This transaction took place in 1831. (Land and premises, buildings and improvements). Property of John Stump, deceased
ΑLJ	54	3 8	9/3/1885	4. Grantor: Grantee:	Allen Hoffman and wife Hosea Barnes
ΑLJ	52	218	1885	Grantor: Grantee:	Joseph J. Waterman Allen Hoffman
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WG	13	344	10/9/1862	Grantor: Grantee: Acreage:	Joshua James John F. Delaney and Catherine James Containing 93 acres being part of same land devised to him by his father Joseph James

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Although this house is built of uncoursed stone in it's entirety, each component was built at a different time. The house faces eastwards, with the main body of the house paralleling Aldino Road. It's southern portion was constructed in the late 1700's while the portion north of the door was constructed in the early Nineteenth Century. Perpendicular to this is a two-story (the main part is one and one-half stories) addition dating from the middle 1800's, while oblique to this is another two-story wing, dating from the 1900's. The main section is five bays by two; the older wing three by two and the newer addition two bays by two. The main section has 12 X 12 windows, with board-and-batten shutters. The gable-end attic windows are 6 X 6 in sash configuration. Two 3 X 3 cellar lights are located near the southeast corner. The older Wing's windows are also 6 X 6, with a 2 X 2 attic window on the exposed westerh end. The newest section's windows are 2 X 2, with an indented window with pediment on the northern end. Flat brick arches decorate the windows of the older wing. One inset door with a three-light transom is on the eastern side of the main section, and a similar door is on the western exposure. Two other doors are on opposite sides of the older wing, the southermost one having a four-light transom. The cellar entrance is located on the western wall of the main section. Wood shingles cover the roof, which is gable-flank throughout. Three gabled dormers with 6 X 6 windows are located on the eastern side of the main section's roof. A one-bay, shed roof porch shelters the main entrance on the eastern embrasure. Two brick insideend flues sprout from the northern and southern extremes of the mainhouse, while an inside-end chimney is situated near the western end of the wing.

The forge shed has been used as a stable and as a tool shed as well. It is located directly behind the house and is a typical farm ancillary of the late Nineteenth Century. It has vertical siding and a wood-shingled gable-front roof. The doorways still have some of the older hinges. East of the house and north of the entrance lane is a stone springhouse, featuring a hip roof of wood shingles with a cupola. The doorway is on the northern wall. South of the home is the barn, which has a stone cellar sunk into the ground but open on the eastern side. The upper works are vertical frame with a gable-flank roof. The stone foundation of what must have been a tremendous barn surrounds the present structure.

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This house sits upon a tract called Aquila's Inheritance, and was once owned by Aquila Hall, an activist during the Revolution. In 1769, James White Hall, son of Aquila, sold nearly 1000 acres of this tract to James Hall. It was he that probably built the oldest part of the house, which dates from before 1800. The next oldest part of the house was probably built while the property was under the ownership of either Samuel Hughes or Henry Stump during the early 1800's. The Barnes family added the older wing and most of the outbuildings, owning the property for over 100 years. The 1878 Martenet Map shows the owner to be one John Barnes. This is another of the working farms of this area that have been in operation for at least 150 years, if not more.

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

Shaw House, 21 State Circle

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This tract is located off of a lane on the western side of Aldino Road about one-half mile south of Aldino Road. It's entire eastern frontage is along this road, and the southern boundary is an unnamed dirt road.

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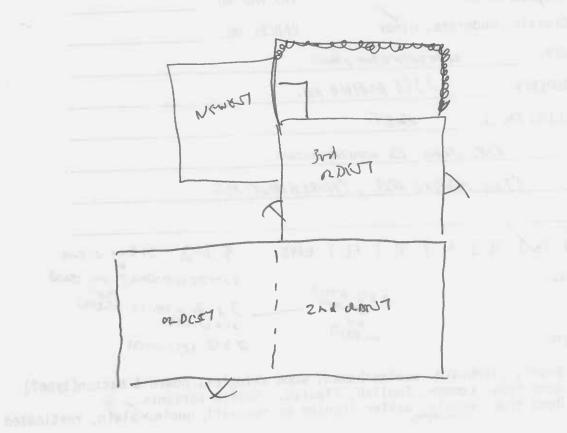
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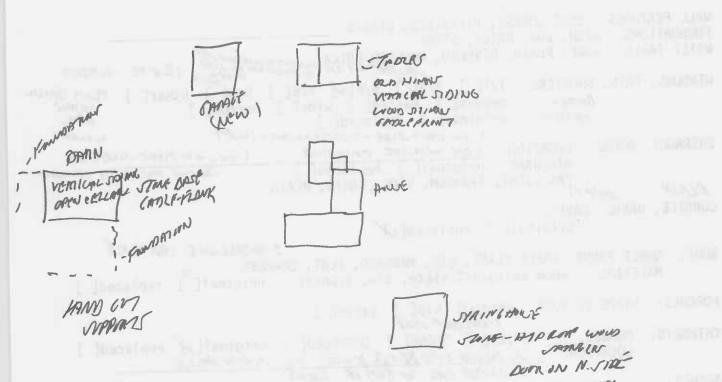
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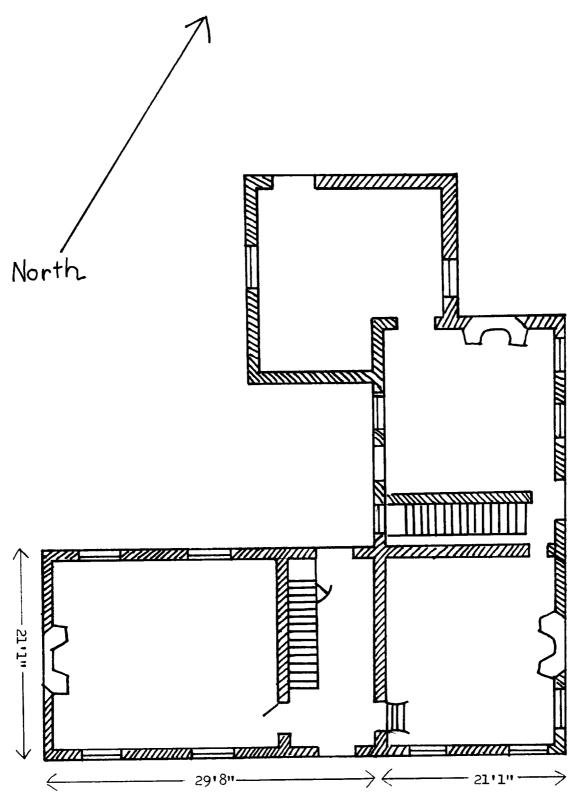
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GRG	522	251	In 1959, Mary Jane Hamilton conveyed this property to John D. Worthington III. It consisted of 155.38 acres.
GRG	307	309	In 1947, the property was acquired by Stuart A. Hamilton from Thomas A. Johnson.
GCB	295	487	The parcel was was sold to Thomas A. Johnson by Harold G. Barnes in 1946.
DGW	211	388	In 1928, Harold G. Barnes obtained the property from Minnie M. Barness
JAR	153	403	Samah A. Barnes sold the property to Minnie M. Barnes in 1916.
JAR	145	136	In 1914, John K. Shaw sold 150 acres to Sarah E. Barnes. It consisted of parts of Aquila's Inheritance and Wilbourn's Adventure.
WSF	95	44	Alexander Shaw purchased the land from Stevenson Williams, trustee, in 1899. This tract derives from the following sources.
HD	23	230	1. Shadrach Bailey sold Hosea Barnes 97% acres of Aquila's Inheritance and Wilbourn's Adventure in 1840.
HD	23	251	Shadrach Bailey acquired 139 acres of the same tract from Herman Stump in 1840.
HD	7	402	Herman Stump purchased 882 acres of Aquila's Inheritance and 91 acres of Wilbourn's Adventure from Samuel Hughes in 1823.
HD	T	255	In 1807, Samuel Hughes received the same parcels from James Hall. They had been bequeathed to James by his father, James White Hall, in 1769.
HDG	32	451	2.William Bailey sold Hosea Barnes 7 acres in 1846. This was a part of Shadrach Bailey's land.
AL J	25	343	3.John Barnes conveyed to Hosea Barnes 10% acres and 3% perches in 1870.
WG	11	322	Joshua James sold the parcel to John Barnes in 1859. The land had been devised to Joshua by Joseph James.
HD	14	307	Herman Stump conveyed to Joseph James a part of Aquila's Inheritance, amounting to 134% acres and 32 perches. This transaction took place in 1831.
ALJ	54	38	4.Allen Hoffman conveyed 35% acres to Hosea Barnes in 1885.
ALJ	52	218	Joseph J. Waterman transferred the tract to Allen Hoffman in 1885.
ALJ	35	29	John F. Delaney sold the land to Joseph J. Waterman in 1877.
WG.	13	344	In 1862, Joshua James conveyed the parcel to John F. Delaney.

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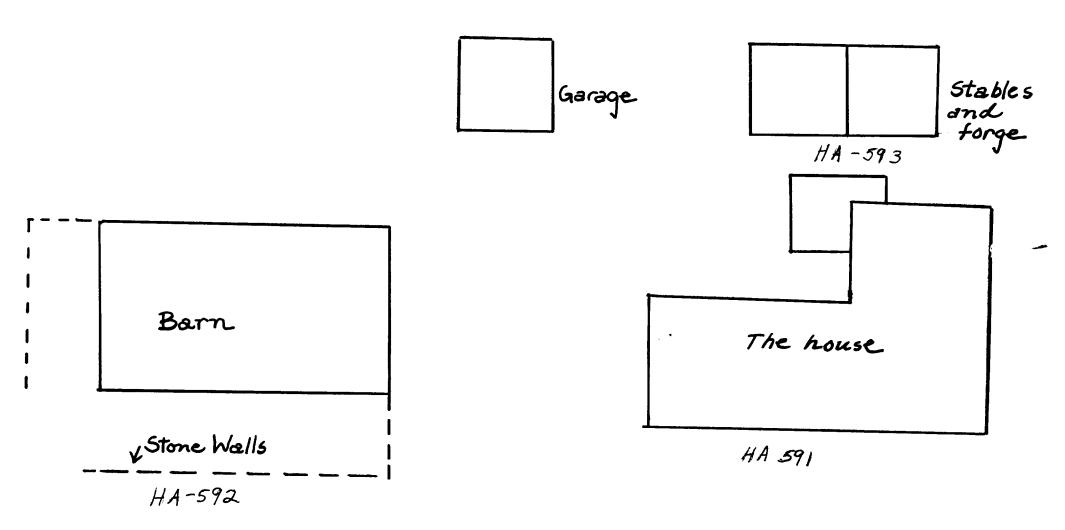






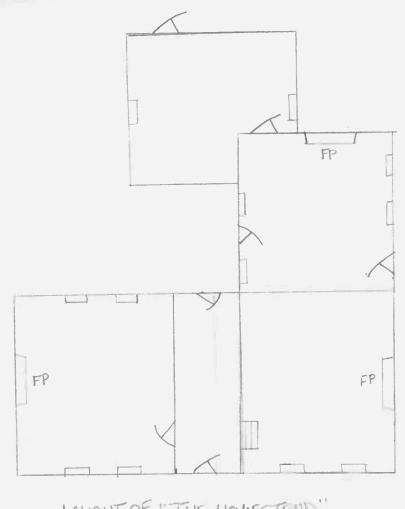
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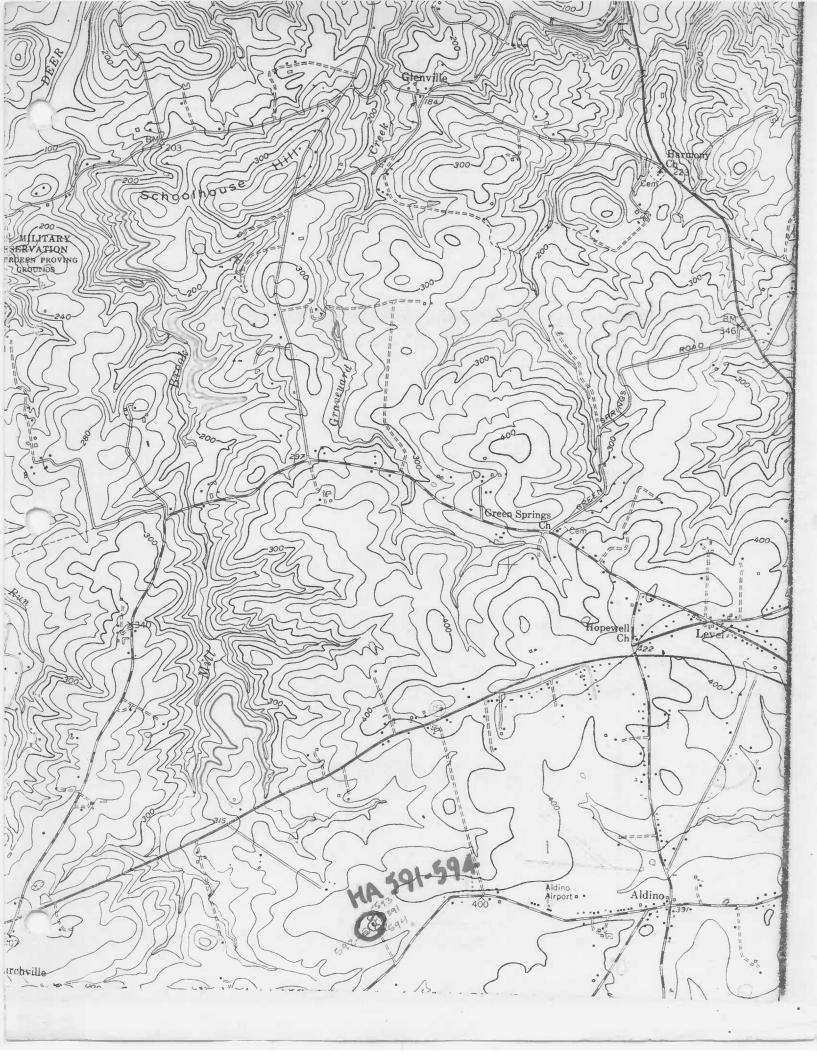


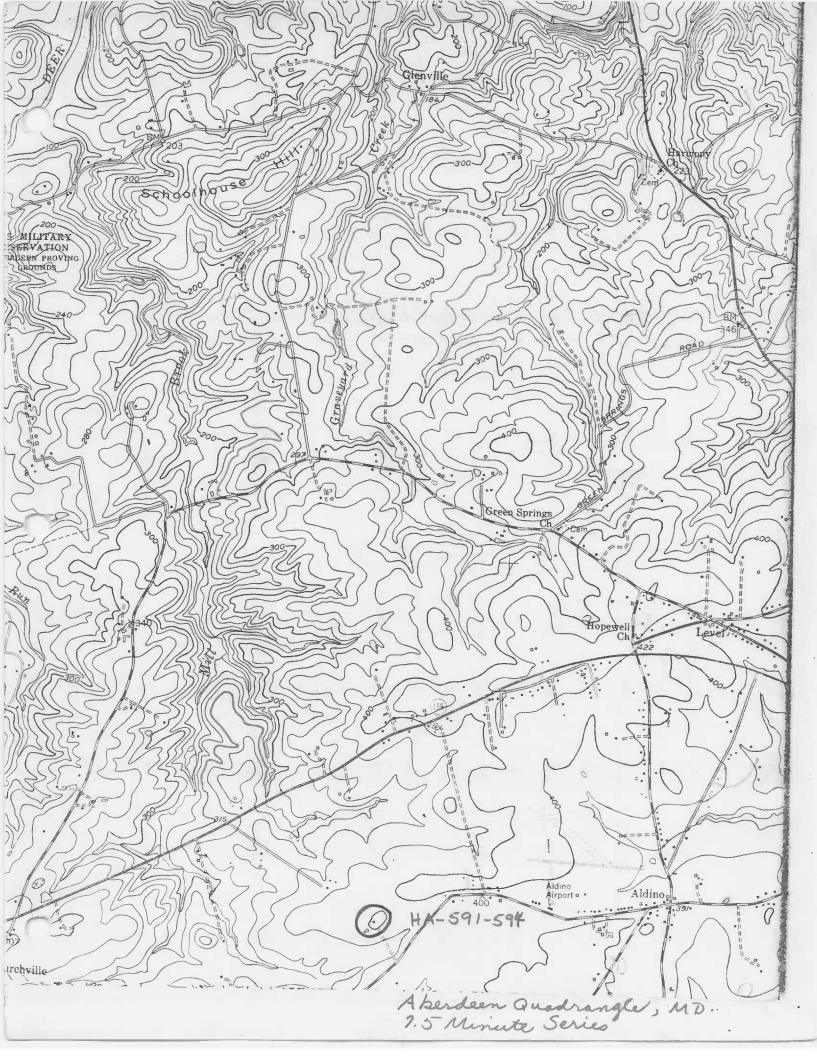
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